ADVANCED COMBUSTION SYSTEMS
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Waste Classification Incinerator Institute of America

Trash - a mixture of highly combustible waste such as paper, cardboard, cartons, wood boxes, and combustible floor sweepings, from commercial and industrial activities. The mixtures contain up to 10% by weight of plastic bags, coated paper, laminated paper, treated corrugated cardboard, oily rags and plastic or rubber scraps.

This type of waste contains 10% moisture, 5% incombustible solids and has a heating value of 8500 B.T.U. per pound as fired. 8-10 pcf.

Type 1 Rubbish - a mixture of combustible waste such as paper, cardboard, cartons, wood scraps, foliage and combustible floor sweepings, from domestic, commercial and industrial activities. The mixture contains up to 20% by weight of restaurant or cafeteria waste, but contains little or no treated papers, plastic or rubber wastes.

This type of waste contains 25% moisture, 10% incombustible solids, and has a heating value of 6500 B.T.U. per pound as Fired. 8-10 pcf.

Type 2 Refuse - consisting of an approximately even mixture of rubbish and garbage by weight.

This type of waste is common to apartment and residential occupancy consisting of up to 50% moisture, 7% incombustible solids, and has a heating value of 4300 B.T.U. per pound as fired. 15-20 pcf.

Type 3 Garbage - consisting of animal and vegetable wastes from restaurants, cafeterias, hotels, hospitals, markets, and like installations.

This type of waste contains up to 70% moisture, up to 5% incombustible solids, and has a heating value of 2500 B.T.U. per pound as fired. 30-35 pcf.

- **Type 4 Pathological Waste** Human and animal remains, consisting of carcasses, organs and solid organic wastes from hospitals, laboratories, abattoirs, animal pounds, and similar sources, consisting of up to 85% moisture, 5% incombustible solids, and having a heating value of 1000 B.T.U. per pound as fired. 45-55 pcf.
- Type 5 Non-Solid By-product Waste gaseous, liquid or semi-liquid, such as tar, paints, solvents, sludge, fumes, etc., from industrial operations. B.T.U. values and density must be determined by an ACS approved survey of waste to be destroyed. Consult factory.
- Type 6 Solid By-Product Waste rubber, plastics, wood waste, etc. from industrial operations. B.T.U. values and density must be determined by an ACS approved survey of waste to be destroyed. Consult factory

